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Subject: Microsoft Settlement.

Dear Ms. Hesse:

Please amend the Final Judgment to include in the definition of "businesses that Microsoft must play nice with" language which includes entities which develop and maintain Open Source software. Examples of these which are not protected under the present terms are Linux and BSD organizations, the Samba organization and the Apache organization. Although these are examples of large market share products there are many smaller and less well known products and organizations whose products rely in part on their interoperability with Operating Systems.

Thank you for your consideration.

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